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STATE 108637

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SUBJECT: ALLEGED BOLIVIAN EXPULSION OF ARGENTINE NATIONAL  
 AND DISAPPEARANCE OF HIS MOTHER IN ARGENTINA

DEPARTMENT HAS RECEIVED INQUIRY FROM CONGRESSMAN  
 FRASER CONCERNING LUIS FAUSTINO STAMPONI AND HIS MOTHER,  
 MAFALDA CORINALDESKI VDA. DE STAMPONI.

2. INQUIRY CONTAINED FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

A. MR. STAMPONI, AGE 41, WAS ALLEGEDLY ARRESTED AT  
 LLALLAGUA, BOLIVIA, NOVEMBER 1976. HIS MOTHER VISITED  
 LA PAZ, BOLIVIA, AND WAS TOLD BY ARMY MAJOR JORGE CADIMA  
 VALDEZ THAT STAMPONI HAD BEEN TURNED OVER TO ARGENTINE  
 AUTHORITIES AT LAQUIACA. VALDEZ SHOWED MOTHER RADIOGRAM  
 203/76 AS PROOF OF HER SON'S EXPULSION.

B. MAFALDA DE STAMPONI RETURNED TO EZEIZA, ARGENTINA, IN  
 NOVEMBER 1976 AFTER BOLIVIA VISIT. ON THE DAY OF HER  
 RETURN, SHE WAS ALLEGEDLY TAKEN FROM ESMERALDA HOTEL BY  
 PLAINCLOTHES POLICE.

3. NO FURTHER INFORMATION IS AVAILABLE AT PRESENT.

4. DEPARTMENT WOULD APPRECIATE ANY AVAILABLE INFORMATION.  
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Margaret P. Grafeld, Director

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